

**Note: Please see assignment of MGP-005 (Introduction to Peace and Conflict Resolution)
under MAGPS/MGPS**

**Assignments for TEE December 2023 and for TEE June 2024
(MAPY First Year)**

MPY-001 Indian Philosophy

Note:

- i) Give answer of all five questions.**
- ii) All five questions carry equal marks.**
- iii) The answer of questions no. 1 and 2 should be in about 500 words.**

1. Explain Nyaya theory of inference. 20

Or

Write a note on the *Anekantavada* of Jainism. 20

2. What is Indian Philosophy? Discuss some of the popular and general characteristics of Indian Philosophy. Do you agree with this characterization of Indian Philosophy? Support your answer with some arguments. 20

Or

Compare these, 20

- a) Theories of causation of Buddhism and Nyaya
- b) Concept of reality of Samkara's Advaita Vedanta and Ramanuja's vishishtadvaita Vedanta.

3. Answer any **two** questions in about 250 words each. 2*10= 20

- a) Write an essay on the category of *abhava* of Vaisheshika. 10
- b) Critically evaluate *Syadvada* of Jainism. 10
- c) Write a note on *anyathakhyativada*. 10

d) What is *khyativada* (Theory of Error)? Compare Kumarila's and Prabhakara's *Khyativada*. 10

4. Answer any **four** questions in about 150 words each. 4*5= 20

- a) Explain Tagore's view on Nationalism. 5
- b) What is *Sunyata*? How is it related to *Pratityasamutpada*? 5
- c) Explain Mohammad Iqbal's concept of God. 5
- d) Write a note on Madhvacharya's view of Liberation (*Moksha*). 5
- e) Write a note on Kashmir Shaivism's concept of liberation. 5
- f) What is *Adhyasa* (Superimposition)? Why does Shankaracharya call *avidya* *anirvachaniya*? 5

5. Write short notes on any **five** in about 100 words each. 5*4= 20

- a) *Shruti* 4
- b) Cosmic Salvation view of Radhakrisnan 4
- c) R Pannikar's Idea of Dialogical Dialogue 4
- d) Vivekananda's Practical Vedanta 4
- e) *Anuplabdhi* 4
- f) *Chitta-Bhumi* 4
- g) *Rasa-Anumiti-vada* 4
- h) *Samanya* 4